Introduced by Assembly Member Berryhill

February 23, 2007

An act to amend Section 10641 of the Water Code, relating to water.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1376, as introduced, Berryhill. Urban water management plan: comments.

The Urban Water Management Planning Act requires every public and private urban water supplier that directly or indirectly provides water for municipal purposes to more than 3,000 customers, or supplies more than 3,000 acre-feet of water annually, to prepare and adopt an urban water management plan. The act requires each urban water supplier to make the plan available for public inspection and to hold a public hearing on the plan.

This bill would require each urban water supplier to seek comments from city and county planning departments in the area served by the urban water supplier at least 60 days prior to the public hearing on the plan.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 10641 of the Water Code is amended to read:
- 3 10641. An urban water supplier required to prepare a plan shall
- 4 seek comments from city and county planning departments in the

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- area served by the urban water supplier at least 60 days prior to
- the public hearing on the plan required by Section 10642, and may consult with, and obtain comments from, any other public
- agency or state agency or any person who has special expertise 4
- with respect to water demand management methods and techniques. 5